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MEMORANDUM FOR: ATB
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SUBJECT: Procurement of Captured Foreign Weapons

1. The attached memorandum is furnished for your information.

2. I recently received word [] that all of the small material on this request had been shipped by air and should be arriving shortly in quantities of five each. The 82 mm mortars I told them to ship by sea to save expense. When this material arrives I anticipate having it received here in Washington and one sample each of the weapons with a small amount of ammunition removed and furnished ITS for their indoctrinations in weapons. The remaining weapons and ammunition will be forwarded to Fort Benning for use in their instruction.

3. In other discussions [] I requested that they furnish us approximately 25,000 rounds of each type small arms ammunition. This of course would not include mortar shells but only rifle ammunition. I have received no word on this as yet although it may be anticipated that if they are able to procure this material that due to its weight it will be shipped by sea and will, therefore, be some time in coming.

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Chief, TRD

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